## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Isao Mochida et al.

Title: Heat-Treated Active Carbons for

Use in Denitration, Processes for

Producing Same, Denitration

Method Using Same, and

Denitration System Using Same

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## AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated January 11, 2005, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Applicant has enclosed with this amendment a Petition for Extension of Time to make this response timely.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows:

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